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To  
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Reference: Your RTI application CSIRH/R/2018/80125, dated 06/11/2018

Shri. Vishal Rakhecha,

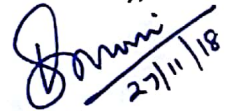
With respect to the above RTI application, information is provided below:

1. a. The year wise expenditure on knowledge resources including, journals, books, databases is given below.

2013-14	-	Rs. 133,56,888/-
2014-15	-	Rs. 139,30,797/-
2015-16	-	Rs. 145,00,000/-
2016-17	-	Rs. 164,48,002/-
2017-18	-	Rs. 159,99,974/-
- b. The knowledge resources procured in NIIST library is available in the following links
  - i. <http://www.niist.res.in/english/research-areas/knowledge-research-center/resource-facilities.html>
  - ii. <http://koha.niist.res.in/>
2. CSIR-NIIST is part of National Knowledge Resource Consortium only.

In case you are not satisfied with my above decision, you may file an appeal with the Appellate Authority within 30 days from the receipt of this letter under section 19(1) of RTI Act, 2005. The name and address of the Appellate Authority is Dr. Prabhakar Rao, Chief Scientist & Head Materials Science Division, CSIR-NIIST, Industrial Estate P.O., Thiruvananthapuram - 695019.  
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Yours faithfully,

  
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